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MEMORANDUM FOR: ALL STATE DIRECTORS; ME THROUGH NC

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SUBJECT: WEEKLY BLACK SEA BASS QUOTA REPORT (NO. 33)

1998 BLACK SEA BASS REPORT (POUNDS); QUARTER III

State	Late Entries	Week Ending 15-Aug-98	Period Cumulative Total (to Date)	1998 Quarter III Quotas	% Landed
ME	0	0	0		
NH	0	0	0		
MA	361	2,436	21,702		
RI	38	604	2,810		
CT	18	14	185		
NY	72	32	5,480		
NJ	10	897	19,944		
DE	0	171	439		
MD	0	1,478	16,928		
VA	0	10,559	43,490		
NC	757	2,452	8,669		
Totals	1,256	18,643	119,647	372,989	32.1

Notes:

The Federal commercial trip limit is currently 3,000 lbs.

Massachusetts has enacted a 2,000 pound trip limit for vessels that land in that Commonwealth, effective through December 31, 1998.

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